

Commission may meet in the Legislative Building or the Legislative Office Building upon approval of the Legislative Services Officer.

(c) The Commission shall report its findings and recommendations, including proposed legislation, to the 1997 General Assembly, Regular Session 1998, and shall make its final report to the 1999 General Assembly upon its convening. Upon issuing its final report, the Commission shall expire.

Section 28.3. The Department of Human Resources, Division of Child Development and the Child Care Commission shall not promote or require the utilization of training materials, curriculum, or policy developed or provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children or the National Institute for Early Childhood Professional Development. The Division and the Commission shall permit individual facilities to make curriculum decisions.

PART 2. STATUTORY TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING CHANGES.

Section 29. G.S. 7A-474.3(b) reads as rewritten:

"(b) Eligible Cases. Legal assistance shall be provided to eligible clients under this Article only in the following types of cases:

- (1) Family violence or spouse abuse;
- (2) Assistance for the disabled in obtaining federal Social Security benefits;
- (3) Representation of eligible farmers faced with the potential of farm foreclosure;
- (4) Representation of eligible clients over the age of 60 regarding the following matters:
 - a. Wills and estates;
 - b. Safe and sanitary housing;
 - c. Pensions and retirement rights;
 - d. Social Security and Medicare rights;
 - e. Access to health care;
 - f. Food and nutrition; and
 - g. Transportation.
- (5) Representation of eligible clients designed to enable them to obtain the necessary skills and means to obtain meaningful employment at a decent wage and reduce the public welfare rolls; and
- (6) Representation of eligible clients under the age of 21 or eligible families with legal problems affecting persons under the age of 21 regarding the following matters:
 - a. Financial support and custody of children;
 - b. ~~Day~~ Child care;
 - c. Child abuse or neglect;
 - d. Safe and sanitary housing;
 - e. Food and nutrition; and
 - f. Access to health care."

Section 30. G.S. 7A-517(5) reads as rewritten:

- "(5) Caretaker. -- Any person other than a parent, guardian, or custodian who has responsibility for the health and welfare of a juvenile in a residential setting. A person responsible for a juvenile's health and welfare means a stepparent, foster parent,